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This morning on basis reference telegram I asked through Foreign Office for audience with King Saud "towards end of week" having in mind Department might meanwhile wish wire me further instructions.

Am also in receipt wire from CONGEN Dhahran, supplementing his 213 to Department, telling me of remark made to him after dinner October 20. Essence is that King said Ambassador Heath had told him I would personally deliver message from President Eisenhower. I presume this results from confusion in King's mind the message sent him by Ambassador Heath through Jamal Hussein (Beirut EMBTEL 1203 to Department).

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